

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: H. MATSUURA, et al.
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Title: ADHESIVE FILM FOR SEMICONDUCTOR USE, METAL SHEET LAMINATED WITH ADHESIVE FILM, WIRING CIRCUIT LAMINATED WITH ADHESIVE FILM, AND SEMICONDUCTOR
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 AND 1.98****Mail Stop: AMEND – NO FEE**

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April 26, 2007

Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find a copy of an Official Action (entitled "First Notification of Reason(s) for Refusal") issued January 26, 2007, in connection with the counterpart Chinese application, together with an English translation thereof. Also enclosed is a Form PTO/SB/08A, listing the enclosed document.

Please note that the enclosed Official Action cites International (PCT) Application No. WO 01/35460 and U.S. Patent No. 5,273,938. Both cited documents have previously been cited in connection with the above-identified application, respectively in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted December 30, 2004, upon originally filing the above-identified application, and in the Office Action mailed November 16, 2006.

While the enclosed Official Action is not in English, it is respectfully submitted that requirements of 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3) are satisfied by the enclosed English translation thereof.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted subsequent to a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified application, but prior to a Final Office Action or issuance of a Notice of Allowance, or issuance of any other action closing prosecution on the merits therein. For satisfying requirements of 37 CFR 1.97(c), the following Statement is made under 37 CFR 1.97(e):

Each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that all applicable requirements of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 have been satisfied, in connection with the document listed on the enclosed Form. Accordingly, consideration of the listed document, upon examination of the above-identified application, is respectfully requested.

Please charge any shortage of fees due in connection with the filing of this paper to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (case No. 1204.44601X00), and credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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